

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-5 without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter recited therein.

Please add new claims 6-11 as follows:

LISTING OF CURRENT CLAIMS

Claims 1-5. (Canceled)

Claim 6. (New) An electric card fastener for connecting an electric card to a printed circuit board comprising:

two bases spaced apart from a connector located on the printed circuit board, each of the two bases having:

- 5 a) a connecting portion;
- b) a cantilever connected to the connecting portion at a connected end thereof, the cantilever having a restricted portion located between the connected end and a free end thereof, each restricted portion selectively engaging one side of the electric card;
- 10 c) a mounted portion connected to the connecting portion at one end thereof and to the printed circuit board at a bottom thereof; and
- d) an extended portion located between the mounted portion and the connecting portion.

Claim 7. (New) The electric card fastener according to claim 6, wherein the restricted portion of each of the two bases has a protruding cambered shape.

Claim 8. (New) The electric card fastener according to claim 6, wherein each of the two bases is formed from a single metal piece.

Claim 9. (New) The electric card fastener according to claim 6, wherein the mounted portion of each of the two bases has at least one joint portion protruding downwardly from the bottom thereof and connected to the printed circuit board.

Claim 10. (New) The electric card fastener according to claim 9, wherein each of the at least one joint portion has two hooks located on opposite sides thereof.

Claim 11. (New) The electric card fastener according to claim 6, wherein the mounted portion of each of the two bases is connected to the printed circuit board by surface mounting.